

REMARKS

The amendment to the drawings requested herein is for correcting informalities. Support for Figure 4 can be found on page 13, line 18, where it is started "under pressurization of 2.3 MPa." Support for Figure 6 can be found on page 16, lines 16-17, where it is started "under constant pressure pressurization (2.1 MPa)." Support for Figure 7 can be found on page 17, lines 6-7, where it is started "under constant pressure pressurization (2.1 MPa)." Additionally, drawing numbers have been changed to separately indicate each drawing. The amendment does not raise any new matter, and Approval of this amendment is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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Nitrogen solubility in iron

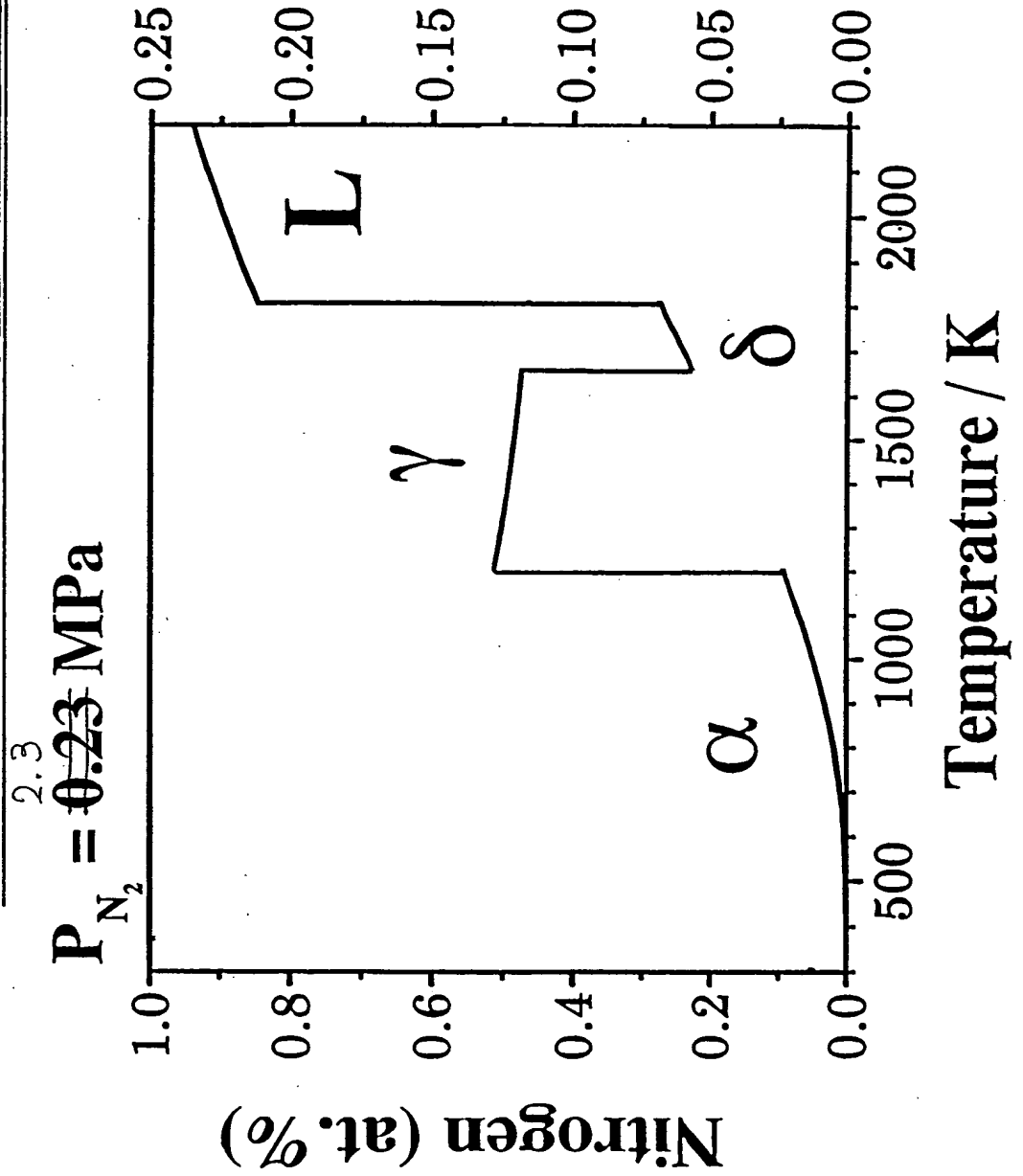
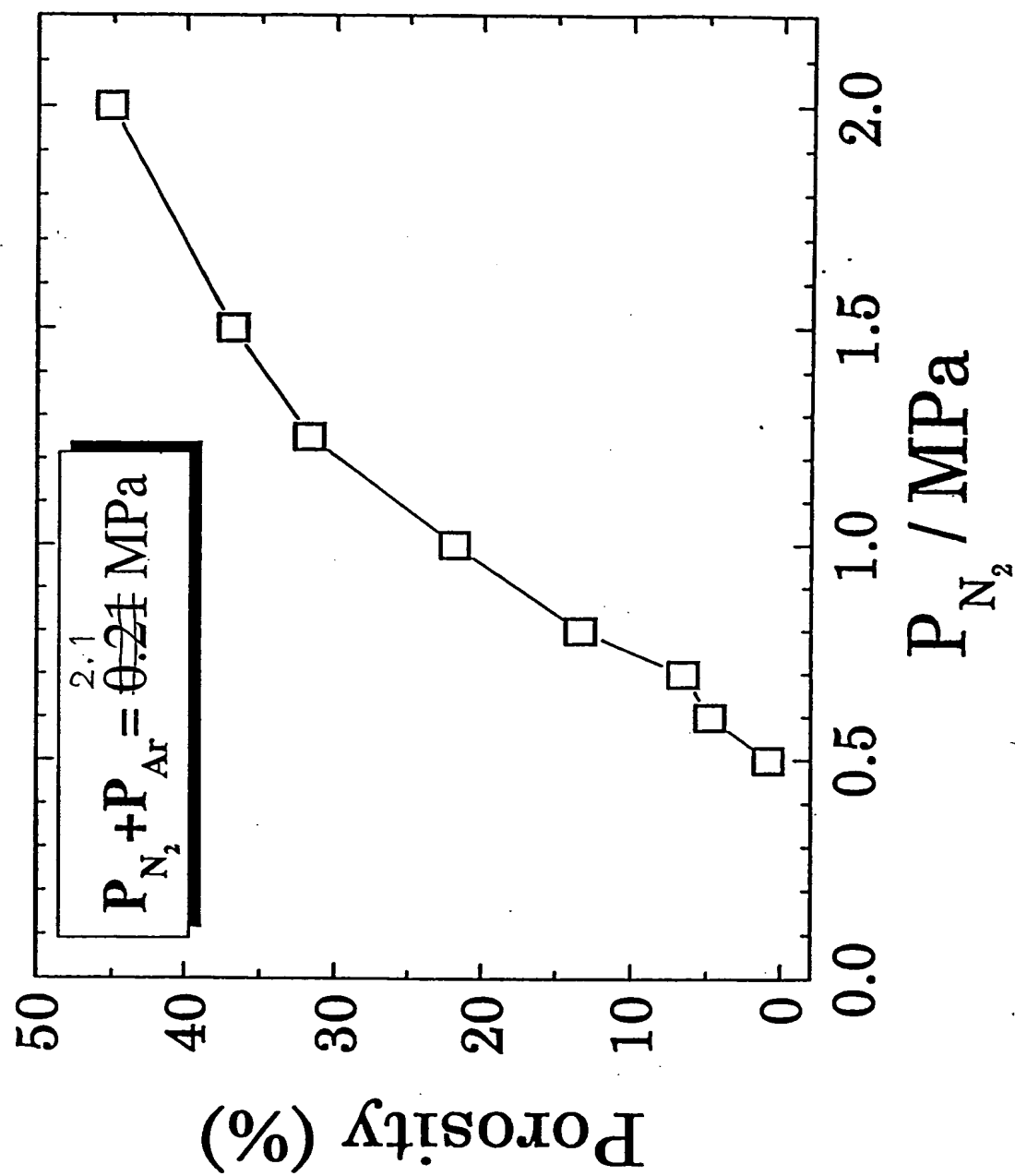


Fig. 4

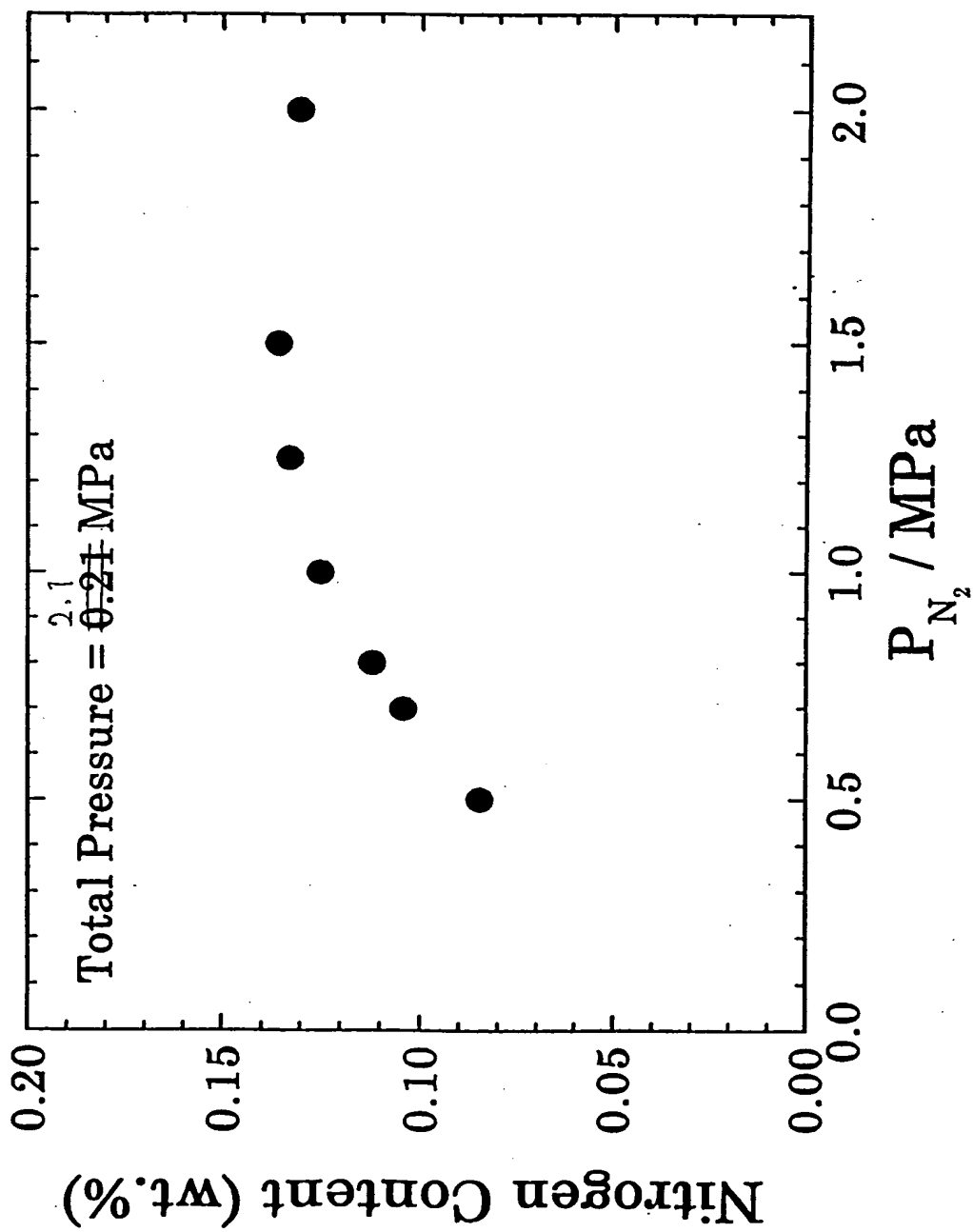
Nitrogen gas pressure vs. porosity

Fig. 6

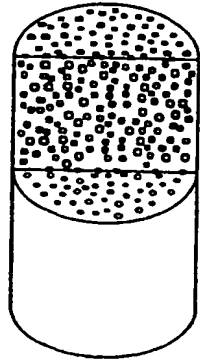


Nitrogen analysis results

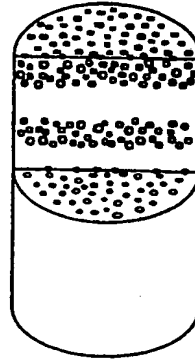
Fig. 7



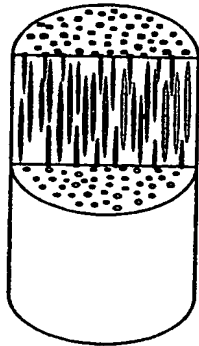
~~Fig. 14~~



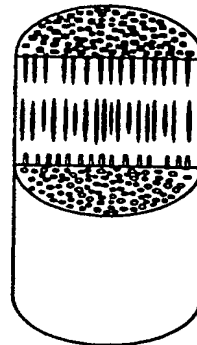
~~(a)~~ Fig. 14(a)



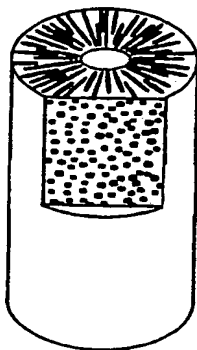
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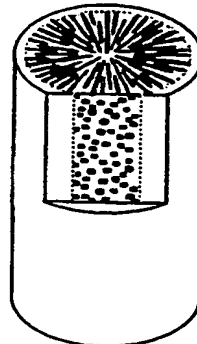
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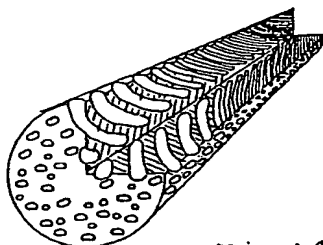
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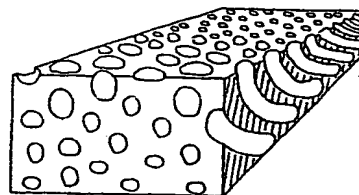
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~~FIG. 16~~

Fig.16(a)

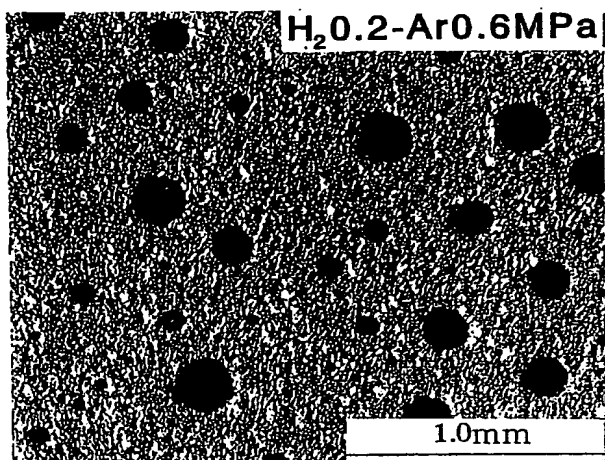


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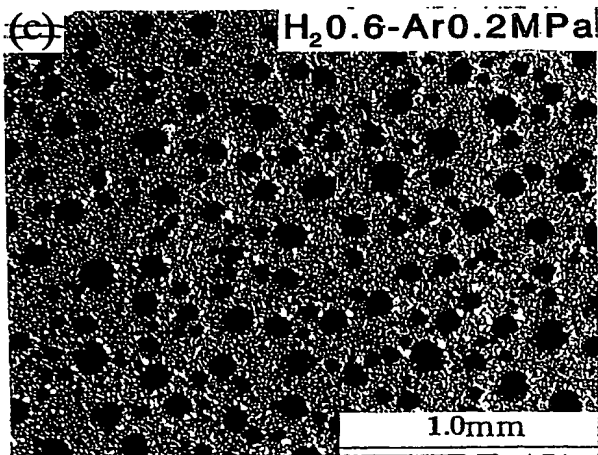
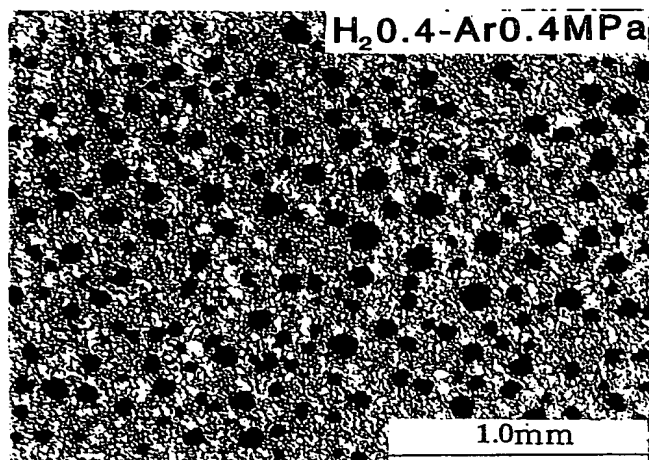


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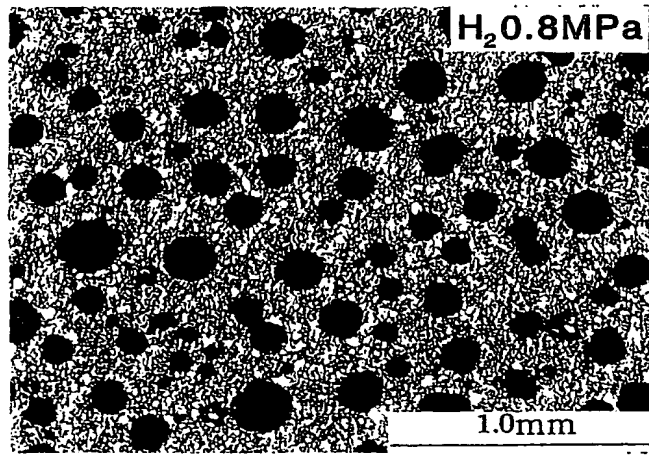


Fig.16(d)

~~FIG. 19~~

Fig. 19(a)

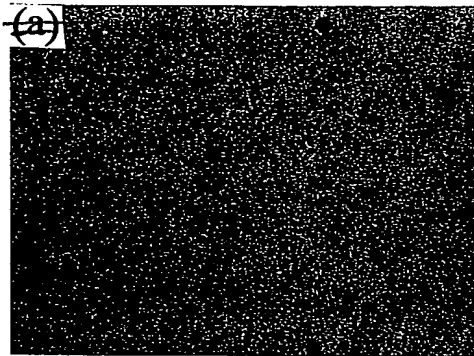


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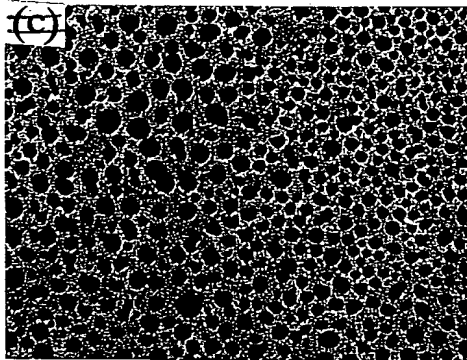
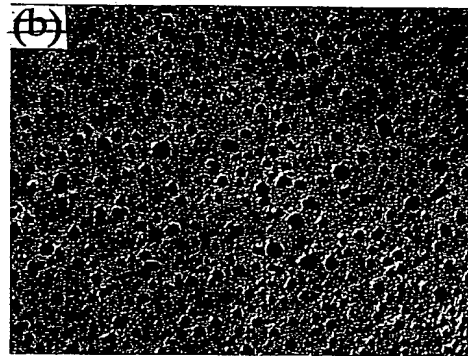


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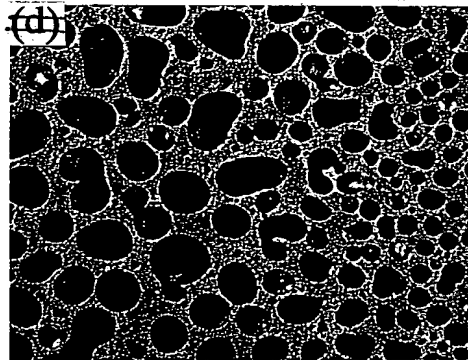


Fig. 19(d)

